**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services – PR&RD Department - Allegations of irregularities in execution of work "NM Road to Mukhalingapuram" taken up under CRR(TSP) grant by the Panchayat Raj Engineering Personnel of Srikakulam District - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri A.Mohana Murali, the then Superintending Engineer PR, Srikakulam (now Retired) and 4 others under Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 read with Rule-9 of APRP Rules, 1980 – Charges framed – Written Statements of Defence received- Appointment of Inquiry Authority and Presenting Officer under Sub-Rule (2) and (5)(c) of Rule-20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991- Orders – Issued.

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**PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O. Rt.No. 871** **Dated:11-12-2023**

**Read the following:-**

1. G.O.Ms.No.196, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.21.04.2023.
2. G.O.Ms.No.197, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.21.04.2023.
3. G.O.Ms.No.198, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.21.04.2023.
4. G.O.Ms.No.199, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.21.04.2023.
5. G.O.Ms.No.200, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.21.04.2023.
6. G.O.Ms.No.201, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.21.04.2023.
7. G.O.Ms.No.202, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.21.04.2023.
8. From the ENC, PR, AP, Vijayawada, Lr.No.Vig.I(1)/5120/ 2023, dt:18.07.2023 together with copies of dated acknowledgments & WSDs of (5) other Charged Officers

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**ORDER**

On the allegations of irregularities in execution of work "NM Road to Mukhalingapuram taken up under CRR(TSP) grant by the Panchayat Raj Engineering Personnel of Srikakulam District" in Tekkali of Srikakukulam District, Government in the G.Os 1st to 7th read above, have initiated disciplinary proceedings duly framing Articles of Charge against the following (5) personnel under Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 read with Rule 9 of APRP Rules, 1980 with a direction to submit their Written Statements of Defence within (10) days from the date of receipt of the charges:

(i) Sri A. Mohana Murali, the then SE, PR, Srikakulam (Retired).

(ii) Sri G. Ramesh, AEE/MEO, MPP, Tekkali (M), Srikakulam, presently working as MEO, MPP, Narasannapeta (M), Srikakulam.

(iii) Sri K. Anjit Kumar, AEE, PRI Sub-Division, Tekkali, presently working as MEO, MPP, Gara (M), Srikakulam

(iv) Sri G.S.R. Gupta, the then Dy.EE, PRI Sub-Division, Tekkali and EE(FAC), PRI Division, Tekkali and presently working as SE,PR Circle, Vizianagaram.

(v) Smt. K. Hemalatha, AEE, PIU Sub-Division, Etcherla on deputation to O/o SE,PR Circle, Srikakulam and presently working as AEE, PIU Sub-Division, Etcherla, Srikakulam.

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2. In the letter 8th read above, the Engineer-In-Chief, PR, has submitted dated acknowledgements and Written Statements of Defence in respect of all the Charged Officers. After examination, the written statements of defence are found not satisfactory.

3. Government, after examining the matter, have decided to conduct common enquiry against all the (5) Charged Officers indicated under para (1) above under Rule 24 & Rule 20(2) of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

4. Now, therefore, the Government in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991, hereby appoint the Chief Engineer, PR-I, O/o Engineer-In-Chief, PR, Vijayawada as Inquiring Authority to enquire into the charges framed against all the (5) Charged Officers indicated under Para (1) above.

5. Government also hereby appoint the Executive Engineer, PRI Division, Tekkali, Srikakulam District as the Presenting Officer to present the case on behalf of the Government in support of the Articles of Charge framed against all the Charged Officers indicated under Para (1) above before the Inquiry Authority under Rule 20(5) (c) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

6. The Presenting Officer shall acquaint himself with the facts of the case and present the case before the Inquiry Authority effectively. He is also requested to obtain and produce documents if any required by the Inquiry Authority during the course of enquiry without referring the matter to the Government.

7. The Inquiry Authority is requested to conduct common enquiry strictly in terms of Rule-20 read with Rule-24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 and submit report as required under (18)(ii) of the above said Rules. Copies of Charge Memorandums issued to the Charged Officers are herewith furnished to the Inquiry Authority as required under Rule 20 (7) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B RAJSEKHAR
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Chief Engineer, PR-I, O/o Engineer-In-Chief, PR, Vijayawada & Inquiry Officer (w.e) through the ENC, PR,AP, Vijayawada.
The Executive Engineer, PRI Division, Tekkali, Srikakulam District & Presenting Officer(w.e.) through the ENC, PR,AP, Vijayawada.
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Copy to:

The Engineer in Chief, Panchayat Raj, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
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SECTION OFFICER